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HONOLULU, H. I., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1900.

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The BULLETIN offers to the persons who, between February 1st and July 31st, shall send in the largest number of new subscribers, the following prizes:

1st Prize Cleveland Bicycle, \$70.

The winner of the 1st prize is at liberty to choose between models 90, 92 and 94 of the 1900 Cleveland Bicycle. Model 94 is a road racer, weight 20 pounds. Model 92 is a light road wheel, weighing 22 lbs., and Model 90 a heavier road wheel, wt. 24 lbs. The bicycle to be selected from the stock of the Honolulu Bicycle Co., agents for Cleveland Bicycles. (The choice may be made between the corresponding ladies' Models, should the winner of 1st prize be a lady).

2nd Prize, Singer Sewing Machine, \$60.00.

The winner of this prize may choose between three styles of machines: that with oscillating shuttle and top cover, that with vibrating shuttle and cabinet top, both five-drawer machines, or the "Automatic" with three drawers. This machine will be furnished by B. Bergerson, sole agent for the Hawaiian Islands.

3rd Prize, Premo Senior Camera, 4x5, with Outfit, \$40.00.

The Premo, Sr., has Double Swing Back, Double Sliding Front, and Rack and Pinion for focusing. This camera may be used with either Plates or Films. The outfit includes 1 Plate Holder, Tripod, 3 Trays, Developer, Fixer, Negative Rack, Graduate, Stopping Rod, and Lantern. Camera and outfit are from the LeMunyon Photo-Supply Co., sole agents.

4th Prize, a Zonophone, the Latest Improvement on the Gramophone, with 8 Records, \$30.00.

This is the loudest and most natural talking machine yet invented. It is to be selected from the stock of the Bergerson Music Co., sole agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

The following conditions of the contest must be observed:

1. All subscriptions must be prepaid at least three months in advance.
2. No renewals or transfers of subscriptions will be counted in this contest as bona fide additions to the subscription lists.
3. Subscriptions should be sent in as soon as secured, together with the name and address of the person to whom the subscription is to be credited, as well as of the subscriber. Great care should be taken to give ACCURATELY the full name and address of each new subscriber.

4 Any person in the Hawaiian Islands is eligible to try for these prizes.

During the continuation of the contest for the Most Popular Captain, coupons entitling the holder to cast so many votes for the Captain of his choice according to the term of his subscription, will be given to each new subscriber attached to the receipt for the subscription, as previously announced.

Subscription Rates: \$8.00 per year, \$2.00 for three months; strictly in advance.

THE MOST POPULAR CAPTAIN

The captain who shall have the largest number of votes on Saturday, March 31, will be given an elegant pair of Binoculars from the store of H. F. Wichman. They are the best that can be obtained and may be seen on display at Wichman's store.

In addition to the votes which appear each day in the upper right hand corner of the first page, which are to be filled out and deposited at this office, new subscribers are entitled to cast votes as follows: A coupon for the number is attached to the receipt.

1 MONTH..... 40 VOTES
3 MONTHS..... 120 VOTES
6 MONTHS..... 240 VOTES
1 YEAR..... 480 VOTES

The standing of the contest Friday, Feb. 8, was as follows. This list will be changed every Saturday.

CAPT. SIMPSON	1230
CAPT. CAMERON	1100
CAPT. CLARKE	1027
CAPT. PEDERSEN	444
CAPT. TULLETT	197
CAPT. BRUHN	137
CAPT. FREEMAN	110
CAPT. NICHOLSEN	9
CAPT. WEISBARTH	9
CAPT. SAMSON	8
CAPT. THOMPSON	6

DIED.
WILLS—At Sheffield, England, December 31, 1899, Cornelius Joseph Bowring, eldest son of Thomas C. and Mary A. Wills, of Pahala, Kau. Hawaii, aged 21 years. R. I. P. Friends will please accept this, the only intimation.

BORN.
CORNWELL—In this city, Feb. 13, 1900, to the wife of James Cornwell, a son.

MAGIC CITY AT KALIHI

The Main Detention Camp for People Undergoing Quarantine.

Model City of Refuge Reared in Twenty Days—Description of Chief Arrangements and Equipments—Figures of Population.

Talk about the magically grown cities of the western mainland. Few if any of them are in it with the magic city at Kalihi. This city of refuge for people driven from their homes by pestilence is a monument, even if its existence prove to be ephemeral, to the marvelous energy of Honolulu in an emergency. The writer slept on board the steamer Mariposa at the wharf the night before she last departed from San Francisco. While the liner still awaited the arrival of the English mails, this passenger went ashore and procured the three morning papers. They contained the dread news of the plague's outbreak in Honolulu. Officers of the ship were anxiously discussing the tidings with passengers. The writer tried to reassure them by telling them that in the fifteen days elapsing between the latest Honolulu date received and the arrival at Honolulu of the steamer the people of Honolulu would have the black visitant suppressed. His memory of the fight with cholera was drawn upon for this confidence. In one way he was right. He knew Honolulu. But he did not know the plague.

Such work as that done at Kalihi, besides almost as much in the aggregate at other parts of the district of Honolulu, ought to justify the most optimistic estimate of the resources of this community in trouble, even while it fails in procuring fulfillment of sanguine prophecy based on the premise. It took only about twenty days to construct this town, comfortably sheltering more than five thousand inhabitants.

THE BUILDINGS.
There are six rows of houses running northeast to southwest, the houses numbering 45 of dimensions 105 feet by 28 feet. Besides these structures, which are the dwellings for the refugees, there are several other fabrics, such as barracks for the guards, the administration building fumigation and disinfecting houses, warehouses for supplies, butcher shop, stables, etc. There are three buildings for the hospital. Between every two rows are water closet and bath houses, there being one such pair of conveniences to every four living rooms. Each house is a quarantine station by itself, the fabrics being separated by high fences. Down each alley between the rows a flume runs, ending in the sea at a depth of eight feet. A pump maintains a constant flood of sea water throughout the flumes, washing everything offensive from the houses into innocuous desuetude in ocean's brine. In the salt water pumping station is a fresh water washing plant, where 700 towels are cleaned daily. There is a copious fresh water service from artesian sources, distributed from two elevated tanks of a combined capacity of 20,000 gallons. The camp is lighted with incandescent electric lamps. It has its own delivery wagons to serve the people, as they cannot leave their houses, with the necessities of life.

THE POPULATION.
In round figures the refugee inhabitants number 5,100, divided as follows: 2,780 Chinese, 700 Hawaiians and 1,620 Japanese. About 300 will complete their quarantine on Thursday, and 1,900 occupying two rows on Saturday. Many of them will probably remain longer from choice, for lack of homes and employment in immediate prospect. It speaks volumes for the disinfecting precautions and the sanitary efficiency of the camp that only two cases of the plague have issued therefrom. Dr. Howard, physician in charge, reports but 24 sick people out of the 5,100 now in the hospital, and some of these are well parents of sick children. The doctor is assisted by two male and two female nurses.

CLEANING PROCESSES.
While Superintendent J. D. McVeigh was showing a Bulletin reporter around headquarters yesterday evening, a squad of guards just relieved came marching in military order across the grounds. They were on their way to the service bathrooms for the hot bath prescribed for guards whenever relieved from watch.

Mr. McVeigh has devised a fumigating apparatus of his own which proves in the highest degree effective. It is an adaptation of a portable forge with forced draft. Sulphur is placed in an oven to half its depth and set on fire. The nozzle is poked through a hole in the wall of the fumigation house, and the crank being turned a powerful blast of superheated sulphur fumes soon makes all life impossible within the building. It kills cockroaches, which more pretentious and costly apparatus has failed to do.

The equipment and operation of the disinfecting room are equally potent with the fumigation of clothing. At-

tendants escorting the subjects into the apartments at one end do not go out with them. Clean attendants meet them as they emerge from the acidulated baths, and conducting them to the clothing room fit them out with purified raiment. As they severally pass out of the clothing room they must wait in the yard until every one of the group they belong to is ready to return with them to their domiciles. While they are out receiving their baths their houses are being thoroughly disinfected with sulphuric acid solution. Dr. Pratt superintends the fumigating and disinfecting processes.

VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS.
The Government supplies the material for clothing, and the inmates make it up. This self-help on the part of the skillful ones reduces the expense. Blankets and like comforts are furnished by the authorities. The dry goods and clothing warehouse contents attest the minuteness of the consideration exercised for the people's health and comfort. Baby powder and feeding bottles are found among a thousand and one other homelike supplies. Captain Ed. Towse has charge of the clothing department.

Mr. Hemenway of Oahu college has command of the guards numbering 80 men, he having volunteered early for the service. The National Guard details mentioned elsewhere add an available strength of 25 men to the guard service. Superintendent McVeigh has no present misgivings as to preserving order with this force. There was a puff of trouble anticipated from a misunderstanding by some Japanese of the time when they were entitled to release. This soon blew over.

Charles Clark has charge of the commissary department, with its stores too varied for description. Its warehouses might be mistaken for those of a general store. Clifford Rhodes is the camp bookkeeper.

Chas. H. Wilson was chief of construction in the creation of the camp. His rapid work speaks for itself, but it may be added that it is substantial work likewise. The finishing touches were done last Saturday.

COUNCIL OF STATE

The Council of State is this afternoon considering the appropriation of \$10,000 for relief purposes. Members have spoken for and against the immediate appropriation of the money.

At 2:45 the Council passed the appropriation with the oral understanding that the government arrange with the owner of the property so that the buildings can be removed by the government when deemed necessary and that an option for lease be secured.

The Orpheum.

Last night a packed house gave the various artists an enthusiastic reception. It was made clearly evident that a large section of the community craved amusement and that the management in reopening the theater—to use a somewhat hackneyed phrase—had "supplied a long felt want." The minstrel first part in which Dunn and Richards take the positions of end men and W. J. Adams that of interlocutor, was highly enjoyable, the songs being freely encored and the witticisms appreciated.

The Boston Lyric contingent gave a very good account of themselves. Miss Oakley in songs, cake walk accompanied by Eugene Rogers scoring a hit. Miss Irene Beresford has lost none of her vivacity, her song, "The Medicine Man" and encore with skirt manipulation fairly fetching the boys. Allan Dunn's sketch "Brown," in which Miss Leicester is wooed across two continents by Lovette Rockwell, finally succumbing to that gentleman's persistent though backward advances, was cleverly portrayed. Young Sandow gave some wonderful exhibitions of strength. Considering the handicapped conditions under which the management at present labors the program as a whole was very creditable.

More Hoodlums Sentenced.

Eleven boys from Nihoa were arrested yesterday on the charge of gambling and, in the Police Court this forenoon they were given fifteen days' imprisonment at hard labor. This is the second lot of hoodlums from Nihoa. The police are certainly doing good work in that locality much to the gratification of the people living near by. The hoodlums are as follows: Keakali, An Wong Chuck, Ah Chop Ki, Aka Kakaiki, Keli, Ka-pana, Ahakuelili, Wm. Polokamu, Keli Kaapeelua and Figi Kaapeelua. Kuna is the only one who pleaded not guilty. His case will come up tomorrow. It is understood that more arrests are to follow.

S. S. Strathgyle.

The British S. S. Strathgyle, Mc-Tarish master, arrived and anchored off port at 9:30 o'clock this morning. She will land her immigrants and then proceed to the Coast as Alexander & Baldwin have recommended that her freight, 70 tons in all, be not allowed to land. Her passengers are as follows: Japanese, 253; female 54 and children 16. Total of 323.

DON'T PASS OUR OPERA GLASSES for the World. They're made by Le Maire. "Nuff said." R. F. WICHMAN

TELLS OF MAUI TRIP

President Wood Makes Report to Board of Health.

Seven Plague Cases at Kahului—Two Bodies Cremated, Five Buried—Action of Kahului Citizens.

At a meeting of the Board of Health this forenoon there were present the following: President Wood, Minister Cooper, F. J. Lowrey, Geo. W. Smith and Dr. Emerson.

F. J. Lowrey stated that the vessel spoken of at yesterday's Board of Health meeting, the 'Strathgyle', had arrived outside this morning. The following resolution, covering the matter of foreign freight, referred to a special committee yesterday, was introduced by Mr. Lowrey:

Whereas, there is reason to believe that bubonic plague was introduced into Honolulu in merchandise from China and Japan; therefore be it

Resolved, That, pending further investigation in the matter, the landing of any merchandise from countries where bubonic plague exists, into any ports of the Hawaiian Islands is prohibited. This resolution was adopted.

At this point President Wood gave a verbal report of his trip to Kahului, from which he returned at an early hour this morning. Briefly, this is what President Wood had to say:

"After the meeting of the Board of Health Saturday afternoon, I received several letters from Kahului telling of suspicious cases at that place. One of these was from Sheriff Baldwin, telling of five deaths. These together with a package containing a gland from the femoral region of the Chinaman were received between 6 and 6:30 p. m. Dr. Hoffman and I examined the gland and from this examination we did not think that the case was plague. However, the gland was cut in two and slides made. The first showed any quantity of plague bacilli as did the second.

"Immediately after this examination I made arrangements for a steamer, and succeeded in getting the Kaui. I sent to Kalihi for Dr. Garvin and we got away for Kahului at about 11:30 o'clock at night, arriving at that place 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

"We found several of the residents there. They had already quarantined Chinatown, Saturday morning, about hours previous to our arrival. An armed guard had been thrown about the place.

"We went up with the expectation of exhuming the body of the last victim but we were told that another Chinaman had died under the same circumstances and that preparations were then being made to cremate the body. Word was sent to the rifle range where the body was sent and preparations for cremation were stopped.

"In the meantime another case in Chinatown had developed. This was a well developed case and the patient died in three hours after we saw him. After an examination of this Chinaman we went to the rifle range and held a post mortem examination on the body. Slides were made and these showed a clear case of bubonic plague. Both cases were pronounced plague although no post mortem was held on the body of the first Chinaman.

"We then went back and, calling together all the agents of the Board of Health, held a meeting at which several important resolutions were passed. "At this meeting there were present the following: Dr. C. B. Wood, president; as agents of the Board of Health, Drs. Weddick, McConkey, Sheriff L. M. Baldwin, H. P. Baldwin, Messrs. Lowrey, Von Tempisky and Ogg. Besides these all the white population that could be spared from patrolling were present.

The following resolutions were presented and passed: "In the opinion of the Sanitary Committee of Maui, the district in Kahului, known as Chinatown, bounded by the Kahului railroad track and the new wharf, and Front street to the sea-side, excepting the Custom House, is infected by bubonic plague, and public safety demands that it be destroyed by fire." Carried.

"Moved that the Sanitary Committee be authorized to appoint a committee of three to appraise the buildings, and another committee of three to appraise the goods, the same to be destroyed with the buildings, with the exception of such papers and valuables as may be designated by the committee, and can be safely disinfected." Carried.

"Moved that the whole of Kahului be quarantined as against the rest of the island, and that there be a special quarantine placed on Chinatown, as against the whole town of Kahului.

"All freight to and from vessels in the port of Kahului and to and from uninfected districts, shall be handled by the Kahului Railroad Company from their railway line and seaward.

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ANOTHER CLEAN BOARD

No New Cases Have Made Their Appearance Today.

Fire in Fowler's Yard Today—Various Acts of Health Board—Dr. Garvin to Remain on Maui.

2 p. m.—No new cases today. Armstrong Smith is quickly recovering from his attack of bronchitis. The topic of conversation all over town today is the suspicious case at Hilo.

Will Burn Whole Place.

The Board of Health has reconsidered its action of burning only a part of the South street tenement house and has decided to burn the whole place, this on the recommendation of President Wood who stated at this forenoon's meeting that the epidemic in Honolulu was very evidently at an end. Therefore, the Board could not be too strict about treating places in which scattering cases happen to appear. A mixed and irresponsible set of people had lived in the South street building and these had used common cesspools and common closets. While there was no collection of shacks, there was a collection of rooms and the case of plague taken from the building was the most vicious that has appeared during the epidemic.

Destroy the Freight.

J. J. Williams stated his strong conviction this morning that the Board of Health ought to give orders for the destruction of all the Oriental freight on the other islands. From Dr. Wood's report it appeared that the Maui plague outbreak could be traced directly to Chinese freight. Until all the Oriental goods are destroyed there will be no telling where the plague may appear next. Mr. Williams' view was endorsed by several prominent citizens to whose attention the matter was brought.

Tomorrow's Steamer.

W. G. Irwin & Co., agents for the O. S. S. Co. have received no information from San Francisco further than that it was expected that the Australia would leave on time. Nothing was said about the Zealandia taking the Australia's place. According to that there is an uncertainty as to the arrival of any steamer from San Francisco tomorrow.

Steamers May Sail.

At yesterday's meeting of the Board of Health it was decided to stop the leaving of island steamers for ports other than those on Oahu until the return of President Wood. Today this action was rescinded so that steamers are now on the same footing as they were before.

In Fowler's Yard.

Five buildings in Fowler's yard were burned to the ground by the fire department this forenoon. The work was very easy as there was not much of a breeze stirring. Only the buildings on the Waikiki side of the lane running from Hotel street are now remaining.

Services Appreciated.

At this forenoon's meeting of the Board of Health was moved by Minister Cooper that the Board of Health express its appreciation of the services of the N. G. H. during the existence of the plague in Honolulu.

Dr. Garvin.

Dr. Garvin, who went to Kahului with Dr. Wood, has been left there in charge of the work of suppressing the plague on Maui.

Hilo's Serious Question.

Hilo, Feb. 10.—Consular Agent Fureux is at present unable to give clean bills of health to vessels departing from this port. After consultation with local physicians he finds it necessary to qualify the documents with the statement that there has been one death under very suspicious circumstances. This will probably necessitate quarantine at foreign ports. It was unfortunate that it was impossible to determine the exact nature of the case at once. Referral of the matter to Honolulu will cause a great deal of delay and consequent inconvenience.

Houghtailing and Chase.

George Houghtailing of Bethel street and Harvey Chase of Waikiki were each fined \$150 and costs in the Police Court this forenoon on the charge of selling spirituous liquor without a license.

J. O. Carter by his attorneys, Kinney, Ballou & McClanahan, has discontinued his assumpsit suit against Samuel Norris.

Hawaiian Carriage Manufacturing Co., Ltd., by its attorneys, Kinney, Ballou & McClanahan, has discontinued the bill for injunction, discovery and accounting against G. A. Schurman.

SAD DEATH OF MRS. SERRAO

Possible Plague Death Reported From Hilo.

Report of Dr. Moore—Specimens Show Presence of Bacilli Similar to Plague—Dr. Wood Goes to Hilo.

The following letter from Dr. Moore of Hilo was received by Dr. Wood today:

I have to report to your honorable body, concerning the sickness and death of Mrs. A. G. Serrao, of this town, under circumstances that have caused us considerable worry, and the nature of which we do not feel certain.

Mrs. Serrao's illness began the 25th of January with headache and fever and Dr. Rice was called in. He treated it as simple fever and for a few days things progressed favorably.

According to his statement, the fever ran as high as 103 and was associated with some delirium. About the 31st she complained of pain in the right groin which was attributed to severe lifting, as Mrs. Serrao spent most of her time in her husband's store which, by the way, is directly over the mouth of the Waianuene street sewer.

The 2d of February, as things seemed to be going from bad to worse, and the glands in the right side of the neck had become enlarged and painful, the case was reported to me. I saw her late that evening and found her as reported, the right lower group of inguinal glands swollen and painful, those of the right side of the neck swollen and considerable of that side of the face.

The temperature was 102½, pulse 128 full. There was some incoherence of speech. She insisted that there was nothing the matter.

Dr. Grace saw the case with me and considered it decidedly suspicious, so the place was quarantined and Dr. Rice was informed that he could continue the treatment of the case.

The next morning the husband asked Dr. Irwin to take the case, which he did. The two following days the temperature ran 100½ mornings and 102 at night.

During the last two days the temperature fell to normal with weaker pulse, the condition of lethargy deepening and the diarrhoea increasing.

At all times the mental disturbance and the prostration seemed out of proportion to the fever. There were no pulmonary disturbances. At the post mortem there was found no involvement of the glands, other than those of the groups. The body was buried in a light box and the same filled with five barrels of unslacked lime, in the back yard of their property.

The glands were put in Muller's fluid and the jars sealed in a metal box and I forward the same to the Board for examination.

I would be glad if you would send me information regarding the disease so that in the event of another suspicious case we can determine positively, and avoid delay.

Dr. Wood stated that specimens from Hilo had shown bacilli that were certainly those of plague or something very closely allied to the same. Dr. Carmichael and Mr. Haywood would go to Hilo from Kahului.

Dr. Wood will probably go to Hilo.

Police Court Notes.

In the Police Court this forenoon the following cases were disposed of: F. Montrosier, intending to commit an offense, February 14; Joe Kumuhi va, larceny in the second degree, 9 months' imprisonment at hard labor; S. M. Mahole, common nuisance, nolle prosequi.

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